



Framing a Moral Debate: Criminal Justice Reform
A Dialogue Exploring the Interfaith Community's Role in Addressing Critical Reform

As people of faith and goodwill, we are compelled by our moral convictions to address the inequities and biases of the current justice system.

Join us March 17, 2005, for a one-day dialogue addressing the ways that religion can elevate how criminal justice reform plays within the national moral debate. The conference will include:

- A panel discussion of criminal justice and interfaith community leaders, moderated by Rev. Dr. C. Welton Gaddy, President of The Interfaith Alliance Foundation
- Small group dialogues assessing the opportunities and challenges of building an interfaith coalition around criminal justice reform
- A conference report that will be distributed to participants as well as a broad network of religious leaders, local Interfaith Alliance affiliates, members and the media
- Valuable networking opportunities

*This event is free of charge for pre-registered participants, breakfast and lunch included.

Join us to make this important issue a priority both on the national and community levels. Register online today at www.interfaithalliance.org/justicereform

When: 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Thursday, March 17th

Where: Columbus Club, Union Station
Washington, D.C.

Keynote: Reverend James Lawson, Pastor Emeritus
Holman United Methodist Church

Panelists:

- Rabbi Arthur Waskow, Director, The Shalom Center
- Father Les Schmidt, Grassroots Leadership Network
- Reverend Bruce Fenner, Deputy Chaplain, Federal Bureau of Prisons
- Maia Duerr, Executive Director, Buddhist Peace Fellowship*
- El-Hajj Mauri' Saalakhani, Founder and Director, The Peace and Justice Foundation

*Invited

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